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Docket No. 1293.1082D2C2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Jung-wan KO

Serial No. 10/699,697

Group Art Unit: 2133

Confirmation No. 5845

Filed: November 4, 2003

Examiner: Joseph D. Torres

For: RECORDING MEDIUM HAVING SPARE AREA FOR DEFECT MANAGEMENT AND  
INFORMATION ON DEFECT MANAGEMENT, AND METHOD OF ALLOCATING SPARE  
AREA AND METHOD OF MANAGING DEFECTS

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

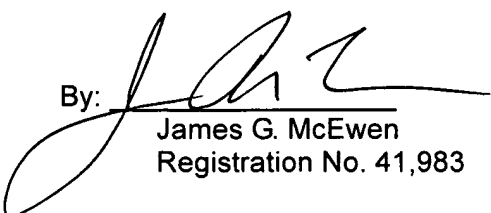
This is responsive to the Office Action mailed June 8, 2005, having a shortened period for response set to expire on July 8, 2005, the following remarks are provided. Applicants elect Group I (claim 1) without traverse.

If there are any additional fees associated with the filing of this Response, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 503333.

Respectfully submitted,

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